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UDOT to Close 800 North in Orem for Partial Bridge Demolition

Work on I-15 CORE to Require One Night Closure

LEHI, Utah (July 1, 2010) — Construction teams on UDOT's Utah County I-15 Corridor Expansion (I-15 CORE) are scheduled to close 800 North in Orem from 10 p.m. on Wednesday, July 7, to 5:30 a.m. Thursday, July 8, to remove the outside portions of the I-15 bridge that crosses over 800 North.

Similar to the recent bridge work at Orem Center Street, the I-15 interchange ramps to 800 North will remain open during demolition. East-west travel on 800 North will be closed under the freeway and motorists should use 1600 North, 400 North or Center Street in Orem as alternates.

Crews will remove about 12 feet of the outside portion of the bridge to allow for widening of the structure. The bridge will be rebuilt in its present location and the road will remain open during construction with the exception of nighttime paving operations.

The bridge is one of 63 new, rebuilt or modified structures on I-15 CORE. UDOT encourages drivers to TravelWise, plan ahead and stay informed to reduce delays by signing up for weekly e-mail updates at udot.utah.gov/i15core and by following the project at facebook.com/i15core and twitter.com/i15core. Text updates are also available by texting "i15core" to 83043.

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Construction activities and dates are subject to change. Please check the I-15 CORE project website (udot.utah.gov/i15core) for the latest information.